WHEREAS, May, 1976, marks the 53rd annual observance of National Music Week; and,

WHEREAS, music is the delight and pride of the culture of every civilized nation, and the people of the United States are proving themselves to be a great music-producing and music-loving nation; and,

WHEREAS, it is incumbent upon all of us to join together to advance the cause of music as a fine art and harmonious force, and to extend the radius of its influence among nations, groups, and individuals; and,

WHEREAS, The pursuit of music, whether it be through study, composing, listening, performing, or participation gives rich experiences in human life; and,

WHEREAS, The National Federation of Music Clubs, through National Music Weeks, provides an opportunity for the organized musical forces of the country, as well as religious and educational and civic groups, to join music lovers in emphasizing the joys and pleasure to be gained from making music:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD F. KNEIP, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the week of May 4, through May 9, 1976, as

NATIONAL MUSIC WEEK IN THE STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

and urge the citizens in every community to participate in making music; to foster a deeper appreciation for musical talent; and to encourage with interest and enthusiasm the music programs offered in special events arranged for this week.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this 23rd day of April, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-Six

RICHARD F. KNEIP, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

LORNA B. HERSETH, SECRETARY OF STATE

Jean D. Bluson

ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF STATE

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